

## RED CROSS PROVIDES TRAINED NURSE FOR CONTAGIOUS DISEASE

After months of watchful waiting on the part of the Medina County Chapter, American Red Cross, the Public Health nurse which had been promised to the chapter by Lake Division headquarters, has been secured in our own county by the efforts of Dr. Brintnall, county health officer.

Miss Constance Hanna, a Red Cross nurse, of Sharon township, who served 23 months overseas with the Lakeside unit, and who has since been in Public Health service in Cleveland, has consented to give three months to her home county's health uplift, before going to make her home in California.

Miss Hanna's office will be in the Red Cross rooms at Medina. Since she will work in the entire county, including Wadsworth and Sharon, her work will necessarily be confined to the care and prevention of contagion.

Just now Litchfield has four cases of diphtheria, Lodi, two of smallpox and there are six cases of scarlet fever scattered over the county.

Time not occupied in this care will be devoted to the advancement of Public Health work in the county as this well-equipped nurse sees its greatest need.

As Wadsworth and Sharon have separate Red Cross districts, they will assist in defraying the expenses of the county nurse, their part being based upon population.

By the securing of Miss Hanna as the county nurse, the county will probably be obtaining the first material results of its many donations to the cause.

Miss Hanna's principal duties will be to call at the homes where illness exists, to instruct in methods for caring for the sick and planning the household duties for the woman of the house. It is understood that she is not to spend all of her time at one place but to make periodical trips about the county.

Dr. R. A. Brintnall, the county health officer, will assign her to those places where the presence of a trained nurse is required. Miss Hanna will commence her duties next Tuesday.

## BUTTERMILK BRINGS FABULOUS PRICES

The Friendship class of the Church of Christ had a cap social at the home of Myrtle Steinmetz last Friday evening. The sale of their caps netted them over thirty dollars. The highest price paid for a single cap was \$7.50. The proceeds were for their new church fund.

The Booster class of the Church of Christ had an auction sale of miscellaneous articles at the tabernacle last Saturday night, which netted them \$89. There was great sport and some exceedingly high bidding, as the proceeds were for the new church fund. Chickens sold for \$2.25 to \$3 apiece. Canned fruit from 50 to 75 cents a can; fried cakes, 50 to 75 cents a dozen. A mammoth loaf of homemade bread sold for \$1.10. There were two quart cans of buttermilk which sold for \$2 and \$2.25 a can. Mr. O. E. Bowman and George Frost can testify to the fact that the quality was as high as the price.

The members of the Junior Hustlers Bible class of the Church of Christ collected and sold one load of papers and magazines this week which brought them \$13.75. Owing to the kindness of the dealer they sold to, all the boys will have to do is to get the name and address of those wishing to donate papers and magazines and on Thursday, June 3, they will be collected. They hope to make that the banner paper day. The class has not been organized a year, but they have succeeded in getting their new church fund up to \$135, and intend to keep on working. So, anyone wishing to give them papers and magazines, please let them know before Thursday, June 3.

### FIXING FENCES

Congressman Cole acted as host to a coterie of local Republicans at a little spread at LeRoy last Friday evening. The coming campaign was discussed and the rusty spots in the machine will probably be oiled for fast running. Those who were present say they enjoyed the feed which is rumored to have stood at \$2.50 per plate.

### THE RESULT

"Even if nothing more had been accomplished—the discovery of six trachoma cases in the schools and the safeguarding of other school children from this disease, would have justified our Red Cross Public Health Nurse during the past month."

Thus does an Indiana newspaper report the public health activities in its community.

Continuing, the account says, "The teachers find increased efficiency in the school work of the pupils whose health has been benefited by treatment to remedy defects found through the nurse's examination."

## RUBBER STOCK SEEMS GOOD BUY

A concern that shows 13 1/2 per cent earned on its investment within the first nine months of its existence must be a pretty substantial industry. That is the record of the Akron Universal Rubber Co., under the old organization, which is now selling stock locally.

It is the intention of the company to erect a plant here on the Bigelow place at the east side of town for the manufacture of tires and rubber goods.

The selling plan of the company embraces a distinctly favorable feature. More than 80 per cent of dealers of a standard tire line in the state are stockholders, and, as such, will be interested in marketing their own product.

Those who buy into the company now will get a bonus of half as much common stock as they buy of the preferred. The prospectus says, in part, "Boost home industry. It is a duty you owe to yourself and community."

## KIWANIS CLUB GETS CHARTER THIS WEEK

Congressman Cole arrived too late last Friday to address the Kiwanians but those present had an enjoyable time, nevertheless. Howard Calvert gave the attendance prize—ten pounds of sugar—which was won by J. W. Tuttle.

This Friday, the dinner will be held at 6:30 in the evening at the Church of Christ. Wives or lady friends of members will be guests. The vice-governor of the Kiwanians, A. F. McGrover, of Akron, will be here to present the club's charter. Pete Land, district secretary, is also on the bill.

Arthur, Ralph and Lewellyn Boyden will offer three prizes—two for the ladies and one for the men. Plates will be \$1 each.

### VESPER AT ST. PAUL'S

Memorial vespers will be held at St. Paul's church next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A perfectly proportioned program has been arranged for the occasion. It follows:

Processional—"Onward Christian Soldiers."  
Hymn—"The Star Spangled Banner."  
Anthem—"Recessional" (Schnecker)  
"Gloria Patri"—Chant.  
"Nunc Dimittis"—Chant.  
Vesper Hymn—"Now the Day is Over."  
Duet—"Hark, Hark, My Soul!"—(Shelley) Mrs. R. M. Long, Mr. M. F. Bryant.  
Hymn—"America."  
Offertory—"The Day is Ended" (Bartlett)—Mr. L. D. Best.  
Recessional—"God of Our Fathers, Whose Almighty Hand."

### CITIZENS ASKED TO BUY SAVINGS CERTIFICATES

A movement to get the citizens of this locality to further evidence their support of the statewide movement to have Ohio beat New York by investing in at least one of the new \$100 Treasury Savings Certificates, has been launched here, according to an announcement by Postmistress M. K. Long. She declared she was confident the citizens of this community would make as good a showing in investing in government securities now as they have in the past.

Speaking of the Treasury Savings Certificates and the benefits to investors, she said:

"Purchasing one of these certificates may be likened to planting a crop and then simply watching it grow with the assurance that it will yield a certain amount. Its growth is certain and the government insures the crop against loss."

"This new government security is particularly attractive to the small investor because of its many good terms, especially the registration feature. It is registered immediately on purchase, thus offering protection against loss by fire or theft. It cannot depreciate in value. Treasury savings certificates are short term notes maturing Jan. 1, 1925. They yield a substantial income, being equivalent to a 6 per cent investment. They are a liquid investment, redeemable upon demand for more than you paid for them and they have valuable taxation exemption privileges."

The postmistress asks all citizens interested in the world's best investment and in having Ohio beat New York to buy at least one \$100 certificate which during the balance of April may be bought for \$88. They increase in price May 1.

### HURT IN ACCIDENT

Lloyd Wolf of Spencer was badly cut about the wrists, Mrs. Croxley of New Salem was severely cut about the knee and two others were badly shaken up in an auto accident in Penfield township in Lorain county.

## TELEPHONE BOOK HAS QUEER NAMES

The new telephone directory was issued and distributed this week, presenting a neat typographical appearance, though containing a few errors in names and numbers.

There are approximately 1,675 subscribers. The letter "B" has 192 representatives, the letter "S" being a close second with 185 names. "Z" has but five entries.

A cursory reviewing of the names in the book discloses some interesting facts. Animals are represented by one Drake, one Hart, two Koons, two Bairs, two Lyons, four Martins and five Wolfs, but there are but two Hunters and three Fishers. Crofoot is represented by five but there is only one Crow. The book shows five Bakers and one Cook but that is sufficient for two Rice, two Musch and one Mellen. But one Carpenter has but two Planks, still there are four Walls and five Houses.

The gambling element is held down to one Wager and three Betz. But one Mann and one Benedict should make things interesting for the fair sex. An ample supply of flour is promised with the ten Millers. Money is scarce—there are but nine Nichols.

Two Porters are here to welcome the one Newcomer who will be met by two Pipers, playing on three Reeds in a Meek manner. Strangely enough we have three Winters and of Somers but one, which accounts for the two Frosts. There is a single Hand and but one Foote for the entire book. In that hand is carried the one Cain. The militarily inclined will learn with joy that we have two Cannons engaged in the battles.

There are many others in the book presenting opportunity for punning but space forbids. We mention Noble, Hates, Heath, Hill, Green, Few, Good, Gates, Earl, Dean, Beach, Beard, Day, Best, Branch, Brooks, Brown, Bella, Young, Woods, White, Wise and so on.

### BALL AT LODI

The Taylor Inn at Lodi will present a special dinner and ball Monday evening, May 31, in its newly appointed dining and ball rooms for which reservations are now being made. A special corps of entertainers from Cleveland have been engaged to furnish the melody. Tickets are \$5 per couple.

## Memorial Program Monday Afternoon

The various committees for Memorial Day exercises announce everything in readiness for the occasion scheduled for next Monday afternoon, beginning at 1 o'clock. The following program will be observed:

Order of Procession  
Bugle—General Assembly.  
Parade to assemble on the south side of the Public square and be ready to march under the direction of the Officer of the Day, at 1 o'clock, p. m. sharp, and in the following order:  
Officer of the Day—Maj. S. S. Oatman and Aides.  
Medina Band.  
H. G. Blake Post and all other old soldiers and sailors.  
Spanish-American War Veterans.  
Courtney Lawrence Post No. 202 American Legion and all World War Soldiers and Sailors.  
Medina Troops of Boy Scouts.  
Medina Troop of Girl Scouts.  
Kiwanis Club.  
Medina Public Schools.  
Ingham's Martial Band.  
Citizens' Battalion.  
Members Women's Relief Corps in Conveyances.  
Citizens in Conveyances.

## PAVING OF COURT STREET RESUMED

Paving on North Court street, which has been held up, due to a misunderstanding, has been continued by Contractor T. P. Kellogg. According to last arrangements, the contractor will proceed with the finishing of the work, the city agreeing to furnish additional funds with which to cover the cost of the concrete that will be placed between the ties. Later, the railway company will reimburse the city for this outlay. The original contract, as made by Mr. Kellogg for placing an eight-inch base, wood ties to be used. Under the new arrangement, steel ties will be used and an additional four inches of concrete will be necessary. Material has been ordered and the work is proceeding.

### CLASS OF 1910 TO HOLD 10TH ANNIVERSARY REUNION

The Medina high school graduating class of 1910 will hold its 10th anniversary class reunion June 19, the day after the alumni banquet. Many of the class members from out-of-town will be back for the celebration.

Raymond J. Miller of Akron is president of the class. Class headquarters will be at the home of N. R. Calvert, 381 East Washington street. Members of committees are Howard Calvert, Lucille Long, Mae Waltz, Lucille Miller, Max Burnham and Leatha Carlton.

## SALVATION ARMY COUNTY DRIVE ON

Medina county is actively organizing for the second home service fund appeal. A committee has been formed with Joseph A. Seymour, county chairman; W. C. Smith, treasurer; Miss Lois Voorhees, secretary; Wm. B. Baldwin, publicity manager; Blake McDowell, John Moore, Clark Reinhardt, A. L. Boyden and Sam Brainard on committee, it is hoped that many prominent citizens of Medina will be enrolled in this worthy cause.

The Salvation Army has won such universal approval for its self-sacrificing work, both in war and in peace, that the heartiest support of everyone is assured them, so deeply has their work won the hearts of the nation that nearly all the most prominent men of the day are assisting in some capacity to insure the success of their appeal.

In their work among the fallen during 1919 the Salvation Army gave assistance to 438,000 people, feeding the hungry, clothing the naked and finding lodging for the homeless, they placed 10,000 human derelicts back into positions where they became producers and taxpayers, thereby saving high sums of money in taxes which the American people would have had to pay to support them in homes and jails.

At their fresh air camp at Mentor, Ohio, fifty families were given a 10-day holiday and in many cases the children had to be clothed before they could be taken to the camp. One thousand, five hundred and ninety-five children were given a one-day picnic and in this one camp 12,808 meals were served free.

In the maternity hospitals, rescue homes and industrial homes thousands of cases of hopeless humanity were given tender care, getting fresh courage and inspiration to take up their burden and once more become good American citizens.

To enable the Salvation Army to carry on these and their many other institutions they appeal to the nation once a year and we look to Medina to give them the full quota—\$3,000—for which they ask. Each one of us in making our donation should remember that it is our share for 12 months' support and give accordingly.

## Memorial Program Monday Afternoon

At the Cemetery  
Decoration of the soldiers' graves by the school children under the direction of Committee on Decoration of Soldiers' Graves.

"Star Spangled Banner" by band.  
Raising of the Flag—By Boy Scouts  
Color Guard.  
Reading of Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech.  
Firing Squad—American Legion  
Firing Squad.  
Monument to be decorated in honor of soldiers buried elsewhere by representatives of the public schools and citizens.  
Bugle—"Taps" by Bugler.  
Procession to reform and return to Public Square.  
At the square caps as l. c. bl. face  
Music by band.  
Song  
Prayer by Chaplain.  
Reading of Gen. Logan's First General Order on the observance of Memorial Day.  
Song.  
Introduction of Speaker by the President of the Day.  
Song.  
Address by Rev. Clarence G. Miller.  
Benediction.  
Music by band.

## LIGHT GAS LAMPS AND LESSEN SPEED

In this issue appears a warning by Marshal Stowe White to autoists calling attention to the laws respecting the lighting of vehicles.

The law provides that all vehicles shall carry front and rear lights whose rays extend 200 feet and shall be displayed between one hour after sunset and one hour before sunrise. This act does not refer to hay wagons when loaded. A penalty of not more than \$25 attaches to violation of this law.

Special attention is directed to the operation of spot lights, a violation of this provision resulting in a fine of not more than \$25 for the first offense and, for the second violation, a fine of not less than \$50 or more than \$100 is prescribed.

A separate section is devoted to speed limits of motor vehicles and cars and a penalty attaches for violations. It would be well to read the "warning" given elsewhere.

### LEGION GETS SUITS

The Legion boys received their baseball suits this week through Wall, the druggist, who placed them here at cost—about \$4.50 each. They are of good material, being gray with black stripe. The stockings are gray and blue and the caps are adorned with blue peaks. The belts are of black leather.

The team will soon commence practice, preliminary to arranging its schedule for the season.

## FARMERS WILL GO TO WOOSTER FOR ANNUAL WHEAT FIELD DAY

## LOCAL ORCHESTRA HAS GOOD TALENT

A huge crowd of music-lovers enjoyed a symphonic feast at the Methodist church Tuesday evening when the Medina Community Orchestra presented its initial concert of the season. About \$50 was realized from the affair, half of which will go into the fund for building a Legion community house.

The solo work reflects great credit upon the artists who evidenced a thorough comprehension of their scores and a complete mastery of technique. The orchestral work evidences Medina's good fortune in possessing a band of musicians unequalled by any community, and much credit goes to John Beck, the director, for the finished performance.

Individual mention is forbidden by lack of space, but at no time during the rendition of the numbers was there apparent other than professional understanding and execution.

## COMMISSIONERS LET BRIDGE CONTRACTS

The county commissioners met in regular session Monday and allowed bids for \$1,209.04. The county engineer was authorized to construct a building to be used as a shop and repair shed. It will measure 54x24 feet.

Contracts were awarded to the Lodi Concrete Co. for the construction of the following bridges: Wadsworth twp.—bridges 1, 2, 3 on Road 20; Harrisville twp.—bridges 26, 27, 28, 30 on Road 97; Sharon twp.—bridges 30, 31, 32 on Road 9. Contract for erecting bridge 29, Road 9, Sharon twp., was awarded to H. O. Putnam of Barber-ton.

The county engineer was instructed to purchase six spring leaves for trucks.

### CONCERT REVIEW

Medina was treated to a feast of good music last Tuesday evening, which, happy to say, was heard and appreciated by a large and generous audience. When Mr. Babcock finished counting the money there lay on the table over fifty dollars.

Their numbers were of greatly varied mood and sentiment, Mrs. Bigelow's song, "Christ in Flanders," touching as it did intimate experiences of the writer, was perhaps the most moving. The quiet beauty of the lovely duet, "Tis Evening," was of the sort that often passes unnoticed because of the simplicity, smoothness and artistry of the work of composer and singers. Big Fred Bohley's two songs were finely sung and his robust voice was well controlled. Miss Schaffer's chorus of girls sang well, giving evidence of the careful training they had been given, and it is hoped work of this sort will be included in school plans for next year. The orchestra, trained and directed by that human dynamo, John Beck (he looks more like a power pole than a dynamo), played well together and executed the numbers programmed in fine style. Let us hope that Medina (which is the Arabic word for "town") will keep up and increase the "good work along musical lines."

Alfred T. Adams.

### DIED SUDDENLY

Mr. H. P. Chapman, of Elyria, O., died very suddenly at his home in Laporte last Monday night.

Funeral at his late residence on Thursday p. m. at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Chapman is a veteran of the Civil war, member of the 103rd O. V. I., well known among the citizens of Lorain county and had many friends and some relatives in Brunswick, O.

### FORM COUNTY ELEVATOR

A farm bureau meeting was held at Litchfield Wednesday evening, which was addressed by T. D. Phillips of the State Bureau of Markets. The meeting was held for the purpose of developing the co-operative elevator of the county. An organization was perfected.

### ALUMNI BANQUET

The annual banquet and meeting of the Medina High School Alumni association will be held Friday, June 18, at Chippewa Lake Park in the Community hotel. The Community orchestra will furnish the musical program. A dance is scheduled to follow the banquet.

### FILL JURY WHEEL

Three hundred names were selected and put into the jury wheel Monday by the commissioners. Clerk of Court George Frazier having charge of this feature. Jurors for the next court term will be selected from this wheel before the term opens.

### CAFETERIA SUPPER

Cafeteria supper at the Congregational dining rooms, Thursday evening, June 3, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

There will be a drainage demonstration held this Saturday afternoon on the farm of Wm. Mellert, south of Valley City. Mr. Mellert is laying about six carload of tile and is having the trench dug with a traction ditcher.

The meeting is for the purpose of viewing the work of this machine and studying the general scheme of layout for the drainage system. The entire farm was surveyed to get the levels and a plot of the drainage system was drawn by a drainage engineer from the State University. The work is being done under these directions. This service to Mr. Mellert was rendered by the Farm Bureau. Every person interested in the tilling problem is urged to attend this meeting.

The Farm Bureau has decided to conduct another observation party to the Ohio Experiment Station for a Wheat Field Day on Wednesday, June 23. As there will be no state wheat field day this year we hope to have a large delegation. This is a valuable trip for every farmer and becomes more so when one continues it each year. In this way one becomes familiar with the work and can see the comparison of different years.

Last year over 350 Medina county people took the trip on the Medina County day. We ought to do still better this year. Special attention will be given us by the station people who will conduct the trip over the fields during the day. Besides viewing the wheat fields the lime work will be given attention as that is a vital problem in our county. Set aside this day and join the crowd in Wooster.

**KNOCKED FROM CAR**  
Willard Hunsberger of Wadsworth was seriously injured Saturday while riding on the steps of a northbound C. S. & C. car. He was struck by the milk stand at Wellington and thrown to the ground. He is now at Oberlin hospital in a serious condition.

## OPEN SEASON TO PACKED BUSINESS

It was a representative audience that packed the big tent Monday night to greet the Minelli Bros. and their famous dramatic company in their 18th season in Medina. These genial managers have become so well known that their coming to Medina is always an event.

This season they have a splendid company supporting the eminent little star, Mae LaPorte. The plays are all new and high-class, and the performances this week are up to the Minelli reputation—plenty of good, clean vaudeville being introduced during the performance and the concerts are right up-to-the-minute.

Among the vaudeville acts special mention must be made of Baby Mary, one of the cleverest child artists on the stage today.

Several special high-class plays will be given the last of the week—Thursday night a great play, "The Girl and the Sinner."

Friday night, as is customary with this company, will be feature night at the big tent. For this occasion the celebrated problem play, "The Girl Without a Chance," the big New York success.

Saturday night, the very funny comedy, "Another Man's Wife," Saturday at 2:30 the beautiful story play, "Dad's Girl," will surely please the ladies and children. Matinee prices will be 10 cents to all. There are only a few more performances left to see this splendid company—so don't miss any of them. The big tent is located on the Bowman lot, West Liberty street. Performance, rain or shine.

We sincerely trust that the Minelli Bros. and their fine company will be with us again next season.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST HELD GOOD MEETING

The county fellowship meeting of all the Churches of Christ in the county was held at the tabernacle in this city last Sunday, more than 800 attending.

A. O. Henry, of South Akron, delivered a splendid address on "County Fellowship" which was enthusiastically received. There were three sessions, every church in the county of that denomination being represented. Rev. V. C. Goodale acted as chairman of the meeting.

### PARKING RULES

In order to maintain an unobstructed view of the public square during the Memorial exercises Monday, all car owners are requested to back up their autos against the curb in front of the business houses, leaving the curb around the square free of cars. Park the cars in closely adjacent facing the square. Owners may thus remain seated in their cars and have a free view of the exercises. All of the merchants have agreed to this plan which was suggested by Al Hange, chairman of the committee on streets and conveyances.